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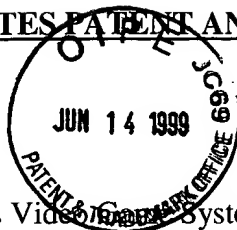
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the First Office Action mailed 2/16/99, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims

~~Please cancel claim 19.~~

~~Please amend the claims as follows:~~

Sub. B1 1. (Amended) A video game system comprising:

a processor unit for executing game instructions and displaying video images on a display screen, the processor includes a receiver for receiving wireless identification and control signal transmissions; and

a personalized portable controller comprising:

a plurality of control switches for generating game control signals;

a non-volatile memory for storing personalized identification information corresponding to a user of the controller, the personalized identification information is selected from the group consisting of a user name, a user age, and historical performance data; and

a transmitter for wireless transmitting of the personalized identification and game control signals to the processor unit.

Sub. B2 9. (Amended) A personalized portable video game controller comprising:

a wireless transmitter for transmitting user personalized information and video game control signals to a video game processor, the personalized identification information is selected from the group comprising of a user name, a user age, and